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19 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

20 CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

21 SHANE MICHAEL, JONATHAN D.

22 RUBIN, DREAMA HEMBREE, AND

23 ETHEL LUNG each individually and

24 on behalf of all those similarly situated,

25 Plaintiffs,

26 v.

27 Honest Company Inc.,

28 Defendant.

) Court File No. 2:15-cv-07059-JAK-

) AGR

) *[Consolidated with Rubin v. The*

) *Honest Company, Inc., Case No. 2:15-*

) *cv-09091-JAK-AGR]*

) **STIPULATION TO CONTINUE**

) **CASE MANAGEMENT**

) **CONFERENCE AND STAY**

) **MOTION TO COMPEL**

) **ARBITRATION BRIEFING**

) **Judge: Hon. John A. Kronstadt**

1 CANDACE HIDDLESTONE and ) Court File No. 2:16-cv-07054 JAK  
 2 JULIE HEDGES, individually and on ) (AGRx)  
 3 behalf of all those similarly situated, )  
 4 )  
 5 Plaintiffs, )  
 6 v. )  
 7 THE HONEST COMPANY INC., )  
 8 )  
 9 Defendant. )

10 This Stipulation to continue the Case Management Conference (“CMC”) and  
 11 stay the motion to compel arbitration (Dkt. No. 31) briefing deadline is entered into  
 12 between Plaintiffs, by and through their undersigned attorneys, and Defendant, The  
 13 Honest Company, Inc. (“Honest”), by and through its undersigned attorneys,  
 14 pursuant to the following: WHEREAS, the above-captioned cases together with  
 15 cases filed in other jurisdictions reached a mediated settlement agreement in  
 16 principle on a classwide basis on February 21, 2017 subject to settlement  
 17 documentation being approved by all parties in all cases. WHEREAS, the parties  
 18 presently anticipate that they should be able to complete a written settlement  
 19 agreement and have the plaintiffs to the actions included in the settlement in  
 20 principle move for preliminary settlement approval within 45 days.

21 WHEREAS, the Court has scheduled a Case Management Conference  
 22 hearing date for February 27, 2017. Additionally, Defendant has pending a motion  
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1 to compel arbitration in the *Hiddlestone* case and Plaintiffs' responsive  
2 memorandum is currently due February 27, 2017. WHEREAS, to preserve party  
3 and Court resources the parties desire that the CMC be continued to allow time for  
4 the settlement papers to be drafted and the details of coordinated motions for  
5 preliminary of the settlement to be finalized. Additionally, to preserve party and  
6 Court resources, the parties also desire that the Plaintiffs' deadline to the motion to  
7 compel arbitration should be stayed indefinitely. WHEREAS, the parties met and  
8 conferred and now AGREE AND STIPULATE THAT THEY REQUEST THE  
9 COURT FOR THE ENTRY OF THE FOLLOWING ORDER:  
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- 13 1. The February 27, 2017 Case Management Conference is continued  
14 until April 17, 2017.
- 15 2. Briefing on the pending motion to compel arbitration in the  
16 *Hiddlestone* case is continued indefinitely.  
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18 Respectfully submitted,  
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20 Dated: February 24 2017 **LOCKRIDGE GRINDAL NAUEN P.L.L.P**

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**ATTESTATION**

Pursuant to Civil Local Rule 5-4.3.4(a)(2)(i), I, Robert K. Shelquist, attest that concurrence in the filing of this document has been obtained from each of the other signatories.

February 24, 2017

By s/ Robert K. Shelquist